cc: USPO 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, 11 Case No. 5:23-cr-00021-JGB Plaintiff, **ORDER GRANTING JASON** 12 CARDIFF'S EX PARTE 13 VS. APPLICATION FOR AN ORDER EXTENDING INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL AND RETURNING HIS JASON EDWARD THOMAS 14 CARDIFF, **PASSPORT** 15 Defendant. NOTE CHANGES MADE BY THE COURT 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

## 1 GOOD CAUSE HAVING BEEN SHOWN, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED 2 That Jason Cardiff shall be permitted to extend his travel to Ireland for thirty days 3 for purposes of medical testing, evaluation, and treatment. He shall return to Texas 4 no later than January 19, 2024. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Jason Cardiff's curfew shall be lifted 5 6 only while he is traveling. 7 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Jason Cardiff may remove his monitor 8 while undergoing medical testing, evaluation, and treatment, and shall bear the cost 9 of replacing it upon his return to the United States. 10 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Jason Cardiff shall file, on or before 11 **January 3, 2025**, a waiver of personal presence in regards to the January 13, 2025 12 hearing on the pending motions to dismiss (Dkt. Nos. 134-37), and is permitted to 13 attend the January 13, 2025 hearing virtually. 14 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that once he returns to the United States, 15 Jason Cardiff shall immediately return the passport to the United States Probation 16 and Pretrial Services Office which shall reinstate and reset his electronic 17 monitoring. 18 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Jason Cardiff's new travel itinerary shall 19 be approved by United States Probation Officer Ryan McClellan prior to his return 20 to the United States. Jason Cardiff shall remain in contact with and provide his 21 location to Officer McClellan every other day via video call while he is outside the 22 United States. 23 Absent extenuating circumstances, Defendant is warned that the Court is 24 unlikely to grant future requests to travel or extend travel. 25 IT IS SO ORDERED. 26

Hondrable Jesus G. Bernal United States District Judge

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Dated: December 20, 2024